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STATE FOR EAP/MLS, L/EAP, L/PM, PM/ISO, INR AND DRL
PACOM FOR FPA CHRISTY, JIATF/WEST FOR COMMANDER BUSCH

E.O. 12958: N/A
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SUBJECT: THAILAND EMBASSY/STATE DEPARTMENT HUMAN RIGHTS
VETTING FOR: JUSMAG - INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE MANAGEMENT, NAVAL POST
GRADUATE SCHOOL, MONTEREY, SEPTEMBER 19 - DECEMBER 04, 2009

REF: A. JUSMAG MEMO DATED JULY 28, 2009

[B](#). 05 STATE 021314 - GUIDANCE

[C](#). 03 STATE 34981 - GUIDANCE

[1](#). (U) This is an action request for human rights verification
required by the Leahy Amendment; see Para. 2.

[2](#). (U) JUSMAG Bangkok has requested that the Embassy/State
Department complete human rights vetting request for the individuals
below, who have been selected to attend the below-mentioned course.
Embassy Bangkok possesses no credible information at this time of
gross violations of human rights by these persons. Embassy Bangkok
Political Officer, Gillian R. Apfel, is the verifying officer for
the Embassy/Department of State.

Course: International Defense Management, Naval Post Graduate
School, Monterey, September 19 - December 04, 2009. JUSMAG is the
funding agency.

Participant:

Name: Phichann Khamboonrat
DPOB: June 02, 1972, Sukhothai, Thailand
Title/Rank: Colonel
Unit: Directorate of Logistics, Education Division, Army Training
Command, Royal Thai Army.

Name: Sombat Phongsri
DPOB: September 16, 1971; Samutsongkram
Title/Rank: Colonel
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Command, Royal Thai Army.

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